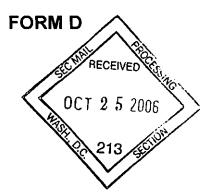
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UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM D

NOTICE OF SALE OF SECURITIES
PURSUANT TO REGULATION D,
SECTION 4(6), AND/OR
UNIFORM LIMITED OFFERING EXEMPTION

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Name of Offering (☐ chec	k if this is an amendment and name has cha	nged, and indicate change.)		
Filing Under (Check box(es)	that apply): Rule 504 Rule 505	Rule 506 □ Section 4(6)	6) 🗆 ULOE	
Type of Filing: ⊠ New Filin	ng			
	A. BASIC IDEN	TIFICATION DATA		
1. Enter the information requ	ested about the issuer	•		
Name of Issuer (☐ check	if this is an amendment and name has chang	ed, and indicate change.)	,	· - •
Dovetail Equity Partners L.P.		,		
	s (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code		Telephone Numbe	r (Including Area Code)
	t, LLC, 500 West Putnam Avenue, Fourth Flo		203-422-7202	
	ss Operations (Number and Street, City, Stat	te, Zip Code)	Telephone Number	(Including Area Code)
Address of Principal Business Operations (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (if different from Executive Offices Telephone Number (Including Area Code)				
Brief Description of Busines	s		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Managed fund			<u></u>	OIL DO SE
Type of Business Organization	on		17:	20001
□ corporation	⋈ limited partnership, already formed	□other (please	specify):	KOVSON E
□ business trust	☐ limited partnership, to be formed			1010 2010
		Month Year		- CARCOLAL
Actual or Estimated Date of Incorporation of Organization: 0 9 0 6 🗵 Actual 🗆 Estimated				
Jurisdiction of Incorporation	or Organization: (Enter two-letter U.S. Pos	stal Service abbreviation for Stat	e;	
	CN for Canada; FN for ot	her foreign jurisdiction) D	E	

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Federal

Who Must File: All issuers making an offering of securities in reliance on an exemption under Regulation D or Section 4(6), 17 CFR 230.501 et seq. or 15 U.S.C. 77d(6)

When To File: A notice must be filed no later than 15 days after the first sale of securities in the offering. A notice is deemed filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on the earlier of the date it is received by the SEC at the address given below or, if received at that address after the date on which it is due, on the date it was mailed by United States registered or certified mail to that address.

Where to File: U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 450 Fifth Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20549

Copies Required: Five (5) copies of this notice must be filed with the SEC, one of which must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

Information Required: A new filing must contain all information requested. Amendments need only report the name of the issuer and offering, any changes thereto, the information requested in Part C, and any material changes from the information previously supplied in Parts A and B. Part E and the Appendix need not be filed with the SEC.

Filing Fee: There is no federal filing fee.

State:

This notice shall be used to indicate reliance on the Uniform Limited Offering Exemption (ULOE) for sales of securities in those states that have adopted ULOE and that have adopted this form. Issuers relying on ULOE must file a separate notice with the Securities Administrator in each state where sales are to be, or have been made. If a state requires the payment of a fee as a precondition to the claim for the exemption, a fee in the proper amount shall accompany this form. This notice shall be filed in the appropriate states in accordance with state law. The Appendix to the notice constitutes a part of this notice and must be completed.

ATTENTION

Failure to file notice in the appropriate states will not result in a loss of the federal exemption. Conversely, failure to file the appropriate federal notice will not result in a loss of an available state exemption unless such exemption is predicated on the filing of a federal notice.

Potential persons who are to respond to the collection of information contained in this form are not required to respond unless the form displays a currently valid ONLE control number.

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A. BASIC IDENTIFICATION DATA 2. Enter the information requested for the following: Each promoter of the issuer, if the issuer has been organized within the past five years; Each beneficial owner having the power to vote or dispose, or direct the vote or disposition of, 10% or more of a class of equity securities of the issuer; Each executive officer and director of corporate issuers and of corporate general and managing partners of partnership issuers; Each general and managing partner of partnership issuers. □ Executive Officer Check Box(es) that Apply: ☑ General and/or □ Promoter □ Beneficial Owner □ Director Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Lapides Asset Management, LLC Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) 500 West Putnam Avenue, Fourth Floor, Greenwich, CT 06830 Check Box(es) that Apply: ☑ Promoter ☐ General and/or □ Beneficial Owner □ Director Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Wilson, Steven M. Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Lapides Asset Management, LLC, 500 West Putnam Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830 Check Box(es) that Apply: □General and/or □ Promoter □ Beneficial Owner □ Director Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Sussman, Glenn Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Lapides Asset Management, LLC, 500 West Putnam Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830 Check Box(es) that Apply: □ Beneficial Owner ■ Executive Officer □General and/or □ Promoter □ Director Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Betz, James F. Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) c/o Lapides Asset Management, LLC, 500 West Putnam Avenue, Greenwich, CT 06830 Check Box(es) that Apply: □ Beneficial Owner □General and/or □ Promoter □ Executive Officer □ Director Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Check Box(es) that Apply: □ Promoter □ Beneficial Owner □ Executive Officer □ Director ☐General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) Check Box(es) that Apply: □ Promoter □ Beneficial Owner □ Executive Officer □ Director ☐General and/or Managing Partner Full Name (Last name first, if individual) Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code) (Use blank sheet, or copy and use additional copies of this sheet, as necessary)

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□ Executive Officer

□ Beneficial Owner

□General and/or

Managing Partner

□ Director

Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

□ Promoter

Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)

Check Box(es) that Apply:

Full Name (Last name first, if individual)

B. INFORMATION ABOUT OFFERING							
1. Here the issues could be done the issues intend to call to non-appredited investors in this affering?	Yes ⊠	No					
1. Has the issuer sold or does the issuer intend to sell, to non-accredited investors in this offering?							
Answer also in Appendix, Column 2, if filing under ULOE.							
2. What is the minimum investment that will be accepted from any individual?	\$ <u>250,0</u>	00					
3. Does the offering permit joint ownership of a single unit?	Yes ⊠	No □					
4. Enter the information requested for each person who has been or will be paid or given, directly or indirectly, any commission or similar remuneration for solicitation of purchasers in connection with sales of securities in the offering. If a person to be listed is an associated person or agent of a broker or dealer registered with the SEC and/or with a state or states, list the name of the broker or dealer. If more than five (5) persons to be listed are associated persons of such a broker or dealer, you may set forth the information for that broker or dealer only.							
Full Name (Last name first, if individual)							
Business or Residence Address (Number and Street, City, State, Zip Code)							
Name of Associated Broker or Dealer							
States in Which Person Listed Has Solicited or Intends to Solicit Purchasers (Check "All States" or check individual States)							
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C. OFFERING PRICE, NUMBER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSES AND USE OF PROCEEDS

1. Enter the aggregate offering price of securities included in this offering and the total amount already sold. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero". If the transaction is an exchange offering, check this box \(\sigma\) and indicate in the column below the amounts of the securities of-fered for exchange and already exchanged.		
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Type of Security	Aggregate Offering Price	Amount Already Sold
Debt	\$	\$
Equity	\$	- <u>\$</u>
□ Common □ Preferred	<u></u> -	_
Convertible Securities (including warrants)	\$	\$
Partnership Interests	\$ 1,000,000,000	\$ \$ 1,310,337
	\$ 1,000,000,000	_ \$
Total	\$ 1,000,000,000	\$ 1,310,337
Answer also in Appendix, Column 3, if filing under ULOE		
2. Enter the number of accredited and non-accredited investors who have purchased securities in this offering and the aggregate dollar amounts of their purchases. For offerings under Rule 504, indicate the number of persons who have purchased securities and the aggregate dollar amount of their purchases on the total lines. Enter "0" if answer is "none" or "zero."		
	Number Investors	Aggregate Dollar Amount Of Purchases
Accredited Investors	10	\$ 1,310,337
Non-accredited Investors		¢
Total (for filings under Rule 504 only)		*
Answer also in Appendix, Column 4, if filing under ULOE		\$
3. If this filing is for an offering under Rule 504 or 505, enter the information requested for all securities sold by the issuer, to date, in offerings of the types indicated, in the twelve (12) months prior to the first sale of securities in this offering. Classify securities by type listed in Part C-Question 1.		
Type of offering	Type Security	Dollar Amount Sold
Rule 505	Security.	\$
Regulation A		. \$ \$
Rule 504		· • ————
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Total		. \$
4. a. Furnish a statement of all expenses in connection with the issuance and distribution of the securities in this offering. Exclude amounts relating solely to organization expenses of the issuer. The information may be given as subject to future contingencies. If the amount of an expenditure is not known, furnish an estimate and check the box to the left of the estimate.		
Transfer Agent's Fees] _{\$}
Printing and Engraving Costs]
		Φ
Legal Fees.		\$
Accounting Fees		⊅
Engineering Fees		Φ
Sales Commissions (Specify finder's fees separately)		· • • · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Other Expenses (identify)		3
Total	X	\$ 15,000
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C. OFFERING PRICE, NUM	IDER OF INVESTORS, EXPENSE:	AND	USE OF FI	KUCEEDS
Question I and total expenses furnished	ggregate offering price given in response to P d in response to Part C-Question 4.a. This differsuer."	rence	\$999,985 <u>,000</u>	
for each of the purposes shown. If an estimate and check the box to the	the amount for any purpose is not known, for the estimate. The total of the payments is to the issuer set forth in response to Part C-	arnish listed		
tion 4.0. above.			Payments to Officers, Directors, & Affiliates	Payments To Others
Salaries and fees			\$	□ \$
Purchase of real estate			\$	□ \$
Purchase, rental or leasing and in	stallation of machinery and equipment		\$	 \$
	uildings and facilities			
Acquisition of other businesses (i	ncluding the value of securities involved in			
this offering that may be used in a another issuer pursuant to a merg	exchange for the assets or securities of er		\$	⊓ \$
	al)			
(investment capit		— 🖰	<u> </u>	□ ⊅ <u>999,985,000</u>
				\$ 999,985,000
Total Payments Listed (column to	tals added)		⊠ \$_9	99,985,000
	D. FEDERAL SIGNATURE			
The issuer has duly caused this notice to be	rigned by the undersigned duly authorized person		notice is filed u	nder Rule 505, the
following signature constitutes an undertaki	ng by the issuer to furnish to the U.S. Securities by the issuer to any non-accredited investor pure	and Ex-	change Commis	sion, upon writter
Issuer (Print or Type) Dovetail Equity Partners L.P.		Oate ctober _	<u>√,</u> 2006	
Name of Signer (Print or Type) Steven M. Wilson, for Lapides Asset Management, LLC	Title of Signer (Print or Type) Managing Member			
	<u> </u>	<u>.</u>		

ATTENTION

Intentional misstatements or omissions of fact constitute federal criminal violations. (See 18 U.S.C. 1001.)

	E. STATE SIGNATURE			
	.262 presently subject to any of the disqual		Yes □	No ⊠
See Ap	pendix, Column 5, for state response.			
2. The undersigned issuer hereby underta Form D (17 CFR 239.500) at such tir	akes to furnish to any state administrator of nes as required by state law.	any state in which this notice	is filed, a r	notice or
3. The undersigned issuer hereby underta issuer to offerees.	akes to furnish to the state administrators, u	pon written request, informati	on furnishe	ed by the
Limited Offering Exemption (ULO	the issuer is familiar with the conditions the E) of the state in which this notice is file burden of establishing that these conditions	ed and understands that the		
The issuer has read this notification and lundersigned duly authorized person.	knows the contents to be true and has duly c	aused this notice to be signed	on its beha	ılf by the
Issuer (Print or Type) Dovetail Equity Partners L.P.	Signature	Date October <u>/ 7,</u> 2006		
Name of Signer (Print or Type) Steven M. Wilson, for	Title of Signer (Print or Type) Managing Member			

Instruction:

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Lapides Asset Management, LLC

Print the name and title of the signing representative under his signature for the state portion of this form. One copy of every notice on Form D must be manually signed. Any copies not manually signed must be photocopies of the manually signed copy or bear typed or printed signatures.

APPENDIX 5 2 3 Disqualification under State ULOE (if yes, Intend to sell to Type of security non-accredited and aggregate attach offering price Type of investor and explanation of investors in amount purchased in State waiver granted) State offered in state (Part C-Item 1) (Part C-Item 2) (Part E-Item 1) (Part B-Item 1) Number of Limited Partnership Number of Interests Nonaccredited Accredited No State Yes No Investors Amount **Investors** Amount Yes ALΑK ΑZ AR CA CO X CT \mathbf{X} X 5 816,661 0 0 DE DC FL **GA** HI ID IL IN IA KS KY LA ME MD MA MI MN MS MO

APPENDIX

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		to sell to credited	Type of security and aggregate						(if yes, ach
		tors in	offering price		Type of in	vestor and			ation of
		ate	offered in state		amount purc	hased in State		waiver	granted)
	(Part B	-ltem 1)	(Part C-Item 1)		(Part C	-Item 2)	, ·	(Part E	-Item 1)
			Limited Partnership Interests	Number of Accredited	,	Number of Nonaccredited			
State	Yes	No	Titter ests	Investors	Amount	Investors	Amount	Yes	No
MT									
NE	,								
NV									
NH									
NJ	X		Х	4	326,585	0	0		X
NM									
NY	X		Х	2	167,090	0	0		Х
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